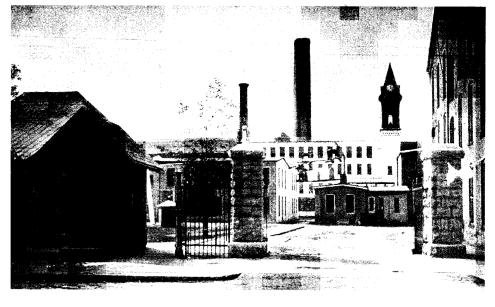
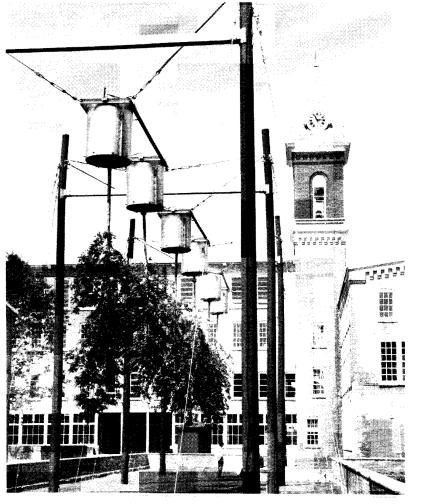
## Museum of Contemporary Art (MASS MoCA)





## University and College Fund Type

This fund type combines, in accordance with the AICPA Audit Guide for College and Universities, the financial activity from all fund types for: the University of Massachusetts System, the State College System, and the Community College System.

<u>University of Massachusetts System</u> includes the campuses at Amherst, Boston, Lowell, Dartmouth and Worcester Medical School campuses, the central administration office and the UMass Building Authority. In addition, the UMass Foundation, UMass Dartmouth Foundation and the Worcester City Campus Corporation (doing business as UMass Health System) are included.

<u>State College System</u> includes the nine state colleges which provide four-year post-secondary education programs and the system's building authority.

Bridgewater State College
Framingham State College
Fitchburg State College
Massachusetts College of Art
Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts
Massachusetts Maritime Academy
Massachusetts State College Building Authority
Salem State College
Worcester State College

Westfield State College <u>Community College System</u> includes the fifteen community colleges which provide two-year post secondary education programs.

Berkshire Community College
Bunker Hill Community College
Bristol Community College
Cape Cod Community College
Greenfield Community College
Holyoke Community College
Massasoit Community College
Massachusetts Bay Community College
Middlesex Community College
Mount Wachusett Community College
Northern Essex Community College
North Shore Community College
Quinsigamond Community College
Roxbury Community College
Springfield Technical Community College

MASS MoCA in North Adams, is the largest center for contemporary visual and performing arts in the United States with a far-ranging collection of programs, exhibitions, multimedia theatrical performances, dance and music concerts, digital media, animation, film presentations and a public computer center. These galleries and performance spaces are housed on a 13-acre campus of renovated nineteenth-century factory buildings on a 27 building historic mill complex.

This complex formerly housed Arnold Print Works, which at its peak in the 1890s employed 4,000 of the town's 18,000 inhabitants, and later, Sprague Electric Company, which also employeed over 4,000 during its tenure from 1942 to 1986.

The principle funding for the construction of MASS MoCA came from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which recognized the value of a project that would preserve a historic landmark and have a positive economic impact on Western Massachusetts. Over 60,000 square feet of the MASS MoCA campus was developed for commercial tenants in the communications and new media industries.

It is the only public computer center in Berkshire County to offer free internet access, classes, and job training. The curriculum is targeted at adults, including former factory workers, who otherwise have no access to computer skills and internet resources. Over 1,000 North Adams residents use the facility to maintain their e-mail. Approximately two-thirds of MASS MoCA's 1,200 members are former workers of the factories.

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